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### Via ECF

Honorable Edgardo Ramos  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Neil Cole*, 19 Cr. 869 (ER)

Dear Judge Ramos:

We represent Neil Cole in the above-captioned matter. In connection with Mr. Cole's letter requesting that the Court order the government to disclose the identity of a witness, and pursuant to the Protective Order filed in this case (ECF No. 15, ¶ 9), we respectfully request permission to (i) redact portions of the letter; and (ii) file the accompanying exhibit under seal.

We are providing to Your Honor's chambers and to the government copies of this letter, the unredacted memorandum of law, and the exhibit.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Richard C. Tarlowe  
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